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THE BRISTOL COURIER

DAILY WEATHER REPORT
Fair and moderately cold today, cloudy and not quite so cold tonight. Occasional light rain Wednesday.

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GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER MAKING TREMENDOUS INVASION PLANS; HITLER IS MOBILIZING ALL GERMAN RESOURCES

Allied Chiefs Are Determined to Shatter Hitler and His Wehrmacht into Unconditional Surrender Before the End of 1944—Each Side Confident at Moment

(Note: Here is the first in a series of four articles describing in all possible detail within the bounds of censorship and security the meticulous preparations for invasion of continental Europe now being made in the British Isles, and Adolf Hitler's equally frenzied plans to defeat it. They were written by Pierre J. Huss, famous war correspondent of International News Service, who covered the battles of North Africa, Sicily and Italy and now is in England to head the correspondents who will witness for I. N. S. the greatest conflict of all—the battle of Europe.)

By Pierre J. Huss
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent

SUPREME ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ENGLAND, Mar. 14—(INS)—Over here in England Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower is making unprecedented invasion plans and over on the continent Adolf Hitler is mobilizing all German resources in completing a formidable pattern of all-out anti-invasion measures.

It is the prelude to one of the grimmest chapters in history re-

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20 Additional Cadets Enroll for CAP Course

At the second meeting of Bristol Flight of the Civil Air Patrol held last evening in Bristol high school, nearly half of the cadets were in uniform. Twenty additional cadets were enrolled, stated Lt. M. Green, bringing the total to 62. A group of senior CAP members is expected to commence classes next Monday.

Joseph Flannagan and Robert Conklin were appointed squad leaders of Sections 4 and 5, respectively.

After one hour of drill instruction by Lt. Green, there was a lecture on simple navigation by PFC B. McLean, followed by a class in radio code under the direction of Mr. Tracy, an army inspector at Fleetwings, Inc.

At 9.45, an Army training film was shown. The boys were so enthused over this that another film was shown, holding the group overtime.

Warren P. Snyder, superintendent of schools, loaned the school's equipment for this event. The Army Air Force Recruiting Branch supplies these training films which are restricted and these will be a feature each Monday. The attendance was remarkable as only three cadets were absent.

Next week, "Jimmy" Holsenbach, an old-time crop duster, will lecture on "Theory of Flight and Hedge Hopping."

Applicants must be citizens of the U. S., in good physical condition, and over 16 years of age, to join the group, it is announced.

RECEIVES PROMOTION

WASHINGTON, Mar. 14—(INS)—The War Department announced today the following officer personnel changes: Promotions—2nd Lt. to 1st Lt.: Bristol—Ann Wernér, ENC, Fairview Lane.

DEGREE TEAM TO REPORT

The degree team of Lily Rebekah Lodge is asked to report at Odd Fellows Hall tomorrow night at seven o'clock for rehearsal.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings

Maximum	53 F
Minimum	31 F
Range	22 F

Hourly Temperatures

8 a. m. yesterday	48
9	47
10	48
11	48
12 noon	50
1 p. m.	52
2	53
3	53
4	53
5	53
6	49
7	45
8	40
9	38
10	36
11	36
12 midnight	35
1 a. m. today	34
2	34
3	33
4	32
5	32
6	31
7	31
8	32

P. C. Relative Humidity 87
Precipitation ..... trace of rain

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water .... 7.10 a. m., 7.23 p. m.
Low water .... 1.57 a. m., 2.22 p. m.

Seaman T. MacLean Is Tendered A Dinner

CROYDON, Mar. 14—Thompson MacLean, S. 1/C, of Sampson, N. Y., paid a visit during the week-end to his wife, and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace MacLean, here.

On Sunday a dinner was served in honor of Seaman MacLean at the MacLean residence. Those attending included: Mrs. Thompson MacLean and son "Tommy," Mr. and Mrs. Horace MacLean, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrar, Jr., nad children, Mrs. Edward Harrar, Sr., of Croydon; Mr. and Hrs. Harry Groff, Mr. and Mrs. T. Fabian and baby, Mrs. Sallie Harris, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LaPenta and children Joan, Jean and Joseph, of Hulmeville.

County Control Centers To Be Mobilized Tonight

HARRISBURG, Mar. 14—(INS)—A statewide mobilization of air raid protection facilities will be ordered tonight by the State Defense Council to assist the Emergency Disaster Committee and the Red Cross to cope with hypothetical "flood conditions." The public will not participate in the drill.

The council pointed out that "no air raid alarms will be sounded and no general mobilization of the Citizens' Defense Corps will take place." County control centers, however, will be mobilized.

"This will give us valuable experience to follow in event of severe statewide floods or other disasters," said Lynn G. Adams, head of protective services. "Since civilian defense is in command only in time of air raids, we must learn how to operate as a co-operating agency in disasters."

Civilian defense units have aided victims in many local disasters as well as the wreck of the Congressional Limited at Philadelphia and the explosion at the Easton gas works last year but this will be the initial full scale rehearsal for such service, the Council said.

WORKERS SHOULD BE FREE TO MAKE DECISIONS

G. Mason Owlett Answers Critics of His "Free Political Action" Plan

WAYNESBORO SPEECH

WAYNESBORO, Mar. 14—G. Mason Owlett, president of the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association, last night answered critics of his "free political action" plan by asserting that neither industry nor labor has the right to dictate the way any man must vote.

Addressing the Waynesboro Manufacturers' Association, Mr. Owlett made it clear that American workers should be free to make their own political decisions, without coercion from any source.

"That is the prerogative and privilege of every American. The thought that we must drive home

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Edmund Connolly Missing Since Jan. 30th In Italy

Word has been received that Private Edmund B. Connolly, 19, 537 Pond street, has been reported missing in action in Italy since January 30th.

A telegram was received by Bartley Connolly, the boy's father, on Sunday.

Connolly was with the Third Rangers and left Bristol about eight months ago, according to his father. Connolly was home on furlough only once since entering the service.

A brother, Kenneth, 17, is in the U. S. Navy.

TO MEET TOMORROW

The Ladies' Club of Rohm & Haas will meet Wednesday evening at eight o'clock in the Red Cross rooms, Mill street. All are asked to take scissors. Hostesses will be Mrs. R. Carey, Mrs. Harry Hey and Mrs. Robert Winton.

SHARP-STROTHER

Mrs. N. W. West, of Locust street, announces the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Lucretia Strother, to PFC William A. Sharp, on March 4th, at Farrell. The Rev. Samuel DeLane, pastor of First Baptist Church at Farrell, officiated.

Three Pastoral Changes Made in Bucks County

Pastoral changes announced for this area at the closing sessions of the Philadelphia Methodist conference in Arch Street Methodist Church, yesterday, include the following:

Hulmeville, the Rev. Richard R. Gay, replacing the Rev. Adolphe Glenn Cloud; Morrisville, the Rev. Guy H. Everly, replacing the Rev. Charles H. Weller; Penns Park and Lahaska, the Rev. Earl C. Carver.

The Rev. Mr. Gay, who is assigned to Hulmeville Church, served at Evansburg from 1941 until 1943, and went to St. John's Church, Philadelphia, in 1943.

The Rev. Mr. Everly, named to Morrisville, has been serving at Lansford. He previously served at Cumbola Circuit as a supply; at Covenant Church in Reading; and on Tremont circuit.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

GLEANED BY SCRIBES

Bucks county corporations went 36 per cent over their quota in the fourth war loan campaign that ended March 1st, according to the official and final figures released by the Federal Reserve Banks of Philadelphia and Cleveland.

This is considered an outstanding record by the fourth war loan finance committee of the county headed by Judge Hiram H. Keller. The final accounting shows that Bucks county corporations, with a quota of $1,463,000, purchased a total of $1,986,000.

The labor and industry chairman of Bucks county during the recent campaign was Harold A. VanKirk.

In reply to a letter which had been sent by Newtown borough council to the supervisors of Newtown township, suggesting that the township help bear the costs of the maintenance of the Newtown Fire Company, the borough officials last week received a request for a breakdown of the expenses between the borough pumper and fire company equipment. The supervisors asked also that information as to the number of fire calls received from other townships be submitted.

The supervisors also wanted to know if the expense would be a stated amount each year, rather than a percentage of an unknown sum.

When Council sent the letter to the supervisors it was pointed out that it had cost the borough $1707.50 to maintain the fire company the past year. According to the annual report of the fire chief, there were nine fire calls in the borough and 13 from the township during the past year.

Election of officers to serve during the current year featured the business meeting of the Yardley Junior Civic Club at its headquarters, last week.

Results of the election follow: President, Natalie Taylor; vice-president, Muriel Leedom; secretary, Mary E. Holsclaw, and treasurer, Lillian Johnson.

During the meeting, which was in charge of the retiring president, Miss Marion Smith, it was decided to double last year's donation to the Red Cross, and during the meeting $25.16 was contributed to the organization.

A request was received from Wallace G. Murfit, Newtown, to assist in the Salvation Army Drive in April. He will attend the next meeting of the club on March 16 to explain this work.

Hillary Cummons, Aged 7, Has Jolly Party Here

On Saturday, Hillary Cummons, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cummons, Pond street, was tendered a birthday party in honor of his seventh anniversary.

Those present were: "Ronnie" and "Buddy" Bartle, "Bobbie" Peltz, Marion and Rose Gorman, "Sally" Ann Petrina, Marvin Bell, Shirley and "Eddie" Keller, Shirley Seifert, Mary Jo Raccango, Vera Miller, of Bristol; and Jean Miller and Gladys Moore, of Burlington, N. J.

The decorations were red, white and blue, and the favors were hats and baskets of candy.

Also present were: Mrs. Bruce Peltz, "Dot" Keller, and Mrs. William Cummons, of Bristol; and Mrs. William Moore, of Burlington, N. J.

The honored one received many gifts.

WOMEN OF MOOSE

The business meeting of Bristol Chapter, No. 763, Women of the Moose, will be held tonight at eight o'clock in the Moose Home. Mrs. Clifford Hagerman, Sr., will be in charge.

BRISTOL DISTRICT CONTINUES TO LAG IN CONTRIBUTING TO WAR FUND OF RED CROSS; FIGURES SHOW SHORTAGE COMPARED TO QUOTA

The 60 branches of the Red Cross in the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter reported a total of $514,687 raised toward their 1944 quota of $2,280,000 at the first War Fund report luncheon, March 9, at the Bellevue Stratford in Philadelphia. The amount reported represented 22.6% of the total branch quota.

The Bristol district on the same date had raised only one-sixth or 16 2-3% of its quota, falling approximately six per cent below the amount raised thus far in the 60 branches of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter.

Montgomery county reported the highest percent raised towards its quota, with Chester county coming second, followed by Delaware county and Bucks county.

Phoenixville branch carried off top honors, with a report of 53.1% of its total raised. Wycombe branch reported 48.0% of its total raised. Other branches reported percentages of their quotas as follows: Wayne, 45.0%; Norristown, 43.7%; Wissahickon, 40.6%; Paoli, 33.4%; Sellersville, 33.2%; Main Line, 29.0%; Newtown, 26.3% Kennett Square, 22.1%; Aldan, 21.1%; Chester, 16.4%.

Joseph Shields, War Fund publicity chairman of the branches, commented that "the tremendous increase in the services being provided our armed forces has greatly increased the size of the Red Cross War Fund goal over last year. It therefore is of vital importance that a gift is received from each home in the five counties comprising the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter. Every home in every community is asked to give and give generously in this invasion year when Red Cross services to the armed forces are continuing to pyramid.

The next report luncheon of the War Fund will be held at the Bellevue Stratford on Thursday, March 16, at 12.15.

HULMEVILLE

Mrs. William Codling left today for Philadelphia, where she will remain until next Monday as guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Evans.

From Saturday until Monday Mrs. James Pickens, of Rahway, N. J., was a guest of Mrs. Charles Afflerbach, Sr.

Warren Bilger, Jr., of the U. S. Navy, stationed at Staten Island, N. Y., passed the week-end at his home here.

Two days last week were spent by Mrs. P. W. Valentine, of Brooklyn, N. Y., at the home of her mother, Mrs. Harry Gill. Miss Helen Gill, of Philadelphia, was also a recent visitor of her mother.

CLAIM CONSTRUCTION WITHOUT ANY LICENSE

Practice of Such is Alleged To Occur in South Langhorne Borough

COUNCILMEN GATHER

SOUTH LANGHORNE, Mar. 14—The South Langhorne councilmen have had their attention directed to the reported practice of erecting buildings in the borough without first procuring official permission. It has been decided to see that the borough ordinance in the matter is strictly observed, and offenders are to be notified of this action.

President Keating has informed of a conference he had with Superintendent of Highways Edward A. Smith, Newportville, regarding the

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Kaiser Ready To Quit As Head of Brewster

Henry J. Kaiser told stockholders of the Brewster Aeronautical Corporation yesterday that he is ready to step aside as president when his term expires May 17.

In a letter to stockholders, who will meet on that date, he said:

"Since the present management assumed office for the purpose of meeting the production emergency and this task has been accomplished, it is now appropriate for this management to retire and be replaced by a management selected by the stockholders."

The letter could be interpreted as a resignation—although Kaiser denied last Saturday that he is resigning. On the other hand, it leaves the way open for stockholders to chose directors who, in turn, could insist on retaining Kaiser as president.

Such action would, however, considerably change Kaiser"s status. At present, he is, in effect, a Navy appointee. Associates said he feels he cannot serve two masters—the Navy, which is Brewster's customer, and the stockholders.

RUSH IS ON AT THE INCOME TAX OFFICE

Dozens in Line at A Time Keep the Six Deputy Collectors Busy

TOMORROW DEADLINE

As 40 people stood in line yesterday afternoon at the office of the Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue, 118 Mill street, a spokesman for the collectors stated that the line has been growing daily, the rush for filing of income tax returns being particularly noticeable last week.

Six clerks are kept busy from nine a. m. until eight p. m., taking time off only for meals in order to accommodate the late-comers.

The deadline is tomorrow, March 15th, and all returns are according to the ruling to be in by that time. If they are not filed by tomorrow, or are not in the mail, with a March 15th post-mark, some difficulty may be caused the taxpayer, it is stated.

After tomorrow only two clerks will be at the Bristol office, they then caring for the returns sent by mail with post-marks of March 15th or previous.

"We had to turn some away on some evenings," continued one of the collectors. "They came too late in the evening, and would have run our time well past the hour of eight. So we found it necessary to ask them to come back on another day and not to leave it so near the closing hour."

Several thousand people have filed to date with the local deputy collectors.

Some show consternation when they learn the amount, they not expecting the rate to be so high; some wear broad smiles when they learn there will be a refund for them; and others are quite happy to find they just about "break even."

FRUTCHEY-ANDERSON

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss June Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Anderson, of Frankford, to Aviation Cadet James T. Frutchey, son of Mrs. Helen Frutchey, of Langhorne, and Edgar Frutchey, Philadelphia. The ceremony occurred on March 4th at the post chapel, Freeman Field, Seymour, Ind.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

"Series" of Enemy Attacks Repulsed in Adriatic Sector

Naples—Clearing skies over the main battle areas of the Italian front today saw patrol activity designed to gain information of troop dispositions in apparent preparation for resumption of large-scale fighting.

On the long-dormant Adriatic sector of the trans-Italian battleline, however, Indian troops of the British Eighth Army repulsed "a series of enemy attacks. Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson's headquarters announced that the ground forces continued obtaining support from the Mediterranean air force, which flew a total of 1,000 sorties to but 45 appearances put in by the German air force.

Travel Restrictions First Steps In Isolating Eire

London—A blunt declaration that the restrictions imposed on travel between Great Britain and southern Ireland were but the first steps in a policy looking toward the isolation of Eire in the "critical period now approaching" was made to Commons today by Prime Minister Winston Churchill. In a highly apparent reference to the forthcoming invasion of Europe by Britain-based Allied troops, the Prime Minister declared:

"If a catastrophe were to occur to Allied armies which could be traced to the retention of German and Japanese representatives in Dublin, a gulf would be opened between Britain and southern Ireland which even generations would not bridge.

"The time has come when measures to minimize the danger to the Allied cause must be strengthened," he asserted, "in view of the fact that so many lives are imperilled we are bound to do our utmost to obtain effective security for forthcoming operations."

The veteran leader declared that all necessary measures "within the limits described" would be taken as deemed best.

Even as he spoke, American and British "security troops" were reported ready to take up positions along the border between Eire and Ulster.

THE RED CROSS - - -

This is only one of the many services of the American Red Cross:

The American Red Cross is charged with the duty of providing recreation for convalescent men in army and navy hospitals. It furnishes them with games, radios, books, pianos and magazines; and it arranges motion picture shows both in ward and recreation halls and other entertainment.

It is announced by the War Fund committee of the Bristol Branch of American Red Cross that names of contributors for amounts less than $5 will not be published.

The Bristol Branch quota is $87,800.00.

Acknowledged Today

Miss Margaret R. Grundy	$300.00
Mr. & Mrs. Earl Raub	10.00
Frank H. Hellings	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. Mintzer	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. A. K. Margerum	5.00
John Hoefle	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. George Nelker	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Jesse L. Betz	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Schroder	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Eckenroth	5.00
Blackford Memorial Sunday School	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Stanley	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Evans	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Walter Fagan	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. William Crawford	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Minkema	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Harrison	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. John W. Conyers	5.00
Miss Violet Lovett	5.00
Arthur Leigh	5.00
Cash	101.75
Cheerful Workers of Community Church, Newportville	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Maxwell Koplin	5.00
Jorg Nyman	50.00
Charles Everett	10.00
Mrs. Charles Everett	5.00
Mrs. Edna Dixon	5.00
Newportville Presbyterian Church	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Felix Dowgwilo	5.00
Mrs. E. Fleckenstine	5.00
Carmen Fleckenstine	5.00
Dr. Walter H. Smith	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Albert Giagnacoca	5.00
Mrs. Clementina Seneca	5.00
Miss Frances Landreth	30.00
Mrs. C. L. Fulforth	5.00
Mrs. W. G. Calver	5.00
D. F. O'Donoghue	5.00
Miss Nora Jones	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. Elwood Dyer	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Durkin	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. William Warner	6.00
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Manzo	5.00
Cash	88.00
Contributed today	$ 805.75
Previously contributed	11,448.36
Total today	$ 12,254.11

COUNCIL TRANSACTS ROUTINE BUSINESS

Hears Annual Financial Report Read and Monthly Report of The Police

W. WARNER PRESIDES

Borough council met last night and heard two reports. One was the financial report of the borough, while the other was the monthly report of the police committee.

Councilman William Warner, second ward, presided in the absence of Dr. J. Fred Wagner, after the meeting had been called to order by the secretary of council, William J. Lefferts.

The financial report of Treasurer Lefferts was read in detail to the councilmen and also the statement of the borough auditors that the report had been audited and found correct. It was ordered published and to be made a part of the borough year book.

Police reported making seven arrests during the month of February and that the cases were disposed of in the following manner: Continued, one; held for court, one; fined, five. The radio car answered 91 calls during the month. Two doors were found unlocked, three arc lights and one incandescent light were reported out and 42 lodgers were given shelter. Five were fined for all-night parking.

Councilmen absent were Wagner, Myers, Vandegrift, Passanante and Mulligan.

FUNERAL TOMORROW

Funeral for Mrs. Filomena Accardi (nee Napoli), wife of Andrew Accardi, who died in Abington on Saturday, will be conducted tomorrow at nine a. m., from her late home, 442 Jefferson avenue. High Requiem Mass will be said at 10 o'clock in St. Ann's Church, with burial in St. Mark's Cemetery.

LENTEN SERVICES

EMILIE, Mar. 14—Special midweek Lenten services are being conducted in Emilie Methodist Church each Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.

Surprise Shower Given For Miss M. Stephenson

Mrs. Roy Jenks, Jefferson avenue, gave a party in honor of Miss Margaret Stephenson, Jefferson avenue, before she left for California, last week. The affair was a surprise shower for Miss Stephenson, who arrived at the Jenks home to find a group of friends awaiting her. She was presented with money.

Those invited: Mrs. R. Hellings, Mrs. J. Krommas, Mrs. J. Connors, Mrs. E. Gaffney, Mrs. D. Curran, Mrs. J. Dugan, Mrs. G. Stephenson, Mrs. J. Ruggeri, Mrs. J. Burger, Mrs. F. Daniels, Mrs. A. Daniels, Mrs. F. McLaughlin, Mrs. G. Harris, Mrs. E. Hendrickson, Mrs. R. Moore, Mrs. A. Bono, Mrs. G. Bono, Mrs. N. Trasatti, Misses Margaret Stephenson, Janet Stephenson, Jean Curran, Mary Rose Daniels, Selma Harris, Bristol; Mrs. W. Driggers, Washington, D. C.

EDUCATORS HERE TO TAKE PART IN PROGRAM

Sup't Snyder and Supervisor Mrs. Stannert To Be Active in Schoolmen's Week

DATES ARE MAR. 22-25

More than 400 men and women actively associated with various phases of educational work have accepted invitations to participate in the thirty-first annual Schoolmen's Week to be held in Philadelphia from March 22 to 25 under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania.

Included in the list is Warren P. Snyder, superintendent of schools in Bristol, who is vice-president of the Southeastern Convention District of the Pennsylvania State Education Association.

Mr. Snyder will serve as the presiding officer at a meeting to be held at eight o'clock on Thursday night, March 23, when "America's Needs in the Post-War World" will be discussed.

At a session at which reading activities in the elementary schools will be discussed the presiding officer will be Mrs. Anne Stannert, supervisor of elementary education in Bristol. This session is scheduled for 10 a. m. on March 23.

All sessions of Schoolmen's Week will be conducted as joint meetings with the Southeastern Convention District of the Pennsylvania State Education Association, and a registered attendance of approximately 5,000 is expected, according to Dr. Theodore L. Reller, secretary of the General Committee.

Featuring the four-day program will be general sessions, demonstrations of teaching methods, panel discussions, psychological clinics, and group meetings covering virtually every field of educational activity from the kindergarten to the adult level.

The post-war era will claim particular attention, with sessions devoted to discussion of America's place in the post-war world, post-war plans for secondary education, the rehabilitation and training of war veterans and industrial workers in the post-war era, post-war physical education, and similar topics.

Among speakers at these sessions will be Adolf A. Berle, Jr., Assistant Secretary of State of the United States; Dr. Francis B. Haas, State Superintendent of Public Instruction in Pennsylvania, and Dr. George D. Stoddard, State Commissioner of Education in New York.

Dr. Haas and Dr. Stoddard will speak at meetings to be held on Wednesday afternoon, March 22, and Mr. Berle is scheduled to address a session at eight o'clock that night. All three meetings will be in the Irvine Auditorium on the University of Pennsylvania campus.

Robert J. Sweeney, S. 1 C, Dies Following Injuries

Word has been received by relatives here of the death of Robert Joseph Sweeney, S. 1/c, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sweeney. Joseph Sweeney formerly resided on Buckley street.

Seaman Sweeney, who was a member of the Commandos in the U. S. Navy, had been on the Island of New Hebrides, and taught ju jitsu. He recently returned to Oakland, Cal., by airplane to recuperate from injuries. He developed pneumonia and died last week. His mother and sister Ruth were at his bedside before his death. They are accompanying the body to Philadelphia. Surviving Seaman Sweeney are his parents and sister Ruth; two aunts, Mrs. William Martin and Mrs. Harry Lange, Buckley street; two uncles, James Sweeney, Bristol, and Sidney Sweeney, Roselle, N. J.; grandmother, Mrs. John Stott, and aunt, Miss Ruth Stott, Philadelphia.

Vincent Genco, who is stationed in England, has been promoted from sergeant to staff sergeant. Word was received by his wife, Mrs. Vincent Genco, Pond street.

GRANT 5 DIVORCES IN COMMON PLEAS COURT OF COUNTY

Four Granted by Judge Calvin S. Boyer and One by Judge Keller

ONE IS A BRISTOL CASE

Quakertown Man Granted Parole As He Has Been Called Into Army

DOYLESTOWN, Mar. 14—Five more divorces were granted yesterday in the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks county, four by Judge Calvin S. Boyer and one by Judge Hiram H. Keller, as follows:

Helen M. Cooney, Yardley, from Elwood M. Cooney, 145 Brunswick ave., Trenton, on grounds of desertion. They were married Feb. 18, 1918, at Elkton, Md.

Ethel Mae Mahoney, Kintnersville, from Andrew J. Mahoney, 285 Rochelle ave., Phila., on grounds of indignities to the person. They were married Nov. 16, 1937, at Elkton, Md.

Fred L. Greene, 1028 Radcliffe street, Bristol, from Florence L. Greene, Harpersville, N. Y., on grounds of indignities to the person. They were married Oct. 11, 1911, at Harpersville, N. Y.

Harry Edward Shultz, Kintnersville, against Maud Morgan Shultz, address unknown, on grounds of desertion. They were married July 26, 1919, at Elkton, Md.

Reynold William Ziegler, Croydon, from Esther Ziegler, Hulmeville, on grounds of desertion. They were married Sept. 28, 1935, at Croydon.

A parole was granted Charles Layton, 24, of Quakertown RD 2, by Judges Keller and Boyer yesterday. Layton was in prison for violation of a previous parole, but he has now been called for service in the Army, and the court agreed to release him on that condition.

Judge Boyer handed down two opinions yesterday as follows:

Estate of Jacob M. Detweiler; Exceptions to settlement; security for costs of audit required to be given by the exceptant.

Robert M. Happ vs. Harry L. Witte and wife; Suit for balance due on a building contract. Jury rendered verdict in favor of plaintiff. Defendant's motion for a new trial refused.

Birthday Party Given For Sylvia Tisione, 3

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tisione, Wood street, gave a birthday party on Sunday for their daughter Sylvia, who was three years old. The children played games and Daniel Muccie won a prize. Refreshments were served in the dining room which was attractive in pink and white. Baskets of candy were favors. Sylvia received many gifts.

Those present: Anna Marie, Joyce, Dolores and Nicholas Rago; Timothy Reardon, Jr., Raymond Rodino, Arline Clardy, Daniel, Lorraine and Ronald Muccie; Alfred, Joseph and Loretta Cauci; Grace Resetti, Carmella Tisione, Bristol; Madeline Russo, Mt. Holly, N. J.; Anthony and Frank Shipps and Frank, Dolores and Katharine Conte, Burlington, N. J.

61ST ANNIVERSARY

FALLSINGTON, Mar. 14—Today marks the 61st wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George Lynn. There will be no formal celebration, due to the fact that Mr. Lynn is confined to his bed by illness. Members of the family plan to visit the Lynns in celebration of the event.

Classified Ads deliver the goods

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WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING TO WIN THE WAR

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Edward James Budzyko, Jr., Bristol, R. D. 1, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Budzyko, is now attending the U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School located on the campus of the University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, Indiana.

He is being trained in seamanship, ordnance, damage control and compass compensation and otherwise drilled and instructed in the duties of an officer in the U. S. Navy.

As a member of the specialist class upon successful completion of his approximately seven-week course at Notre Dame he will be commissioned an ensign and assigned to active duty.

The school is under the command of Captain J. Richard Barry, U. S. N.

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HISTORY CHANGES RAPIDLY

In World War I the American Army's Third Division was nicknamed "Rock of the Marne" for the important part it played in smashing the last German offensive in France in July, 1918. In World War II the Third Division has amply lived up to its reputation. In fact, it might even be re-nicknamed "Rock of Anzio."

The Third Division is credited with bearing the brunt of a heavy assault by three crack German divisions in the beachhead below Rome. The Third Division, with assistance from some other units, beat the Germans back in a bitter 36-hour battle and wiped out a salient won and lost by the enemy at terrific cost.

But even the veteran fighters of the Third Division would be the first to point out that what they did in repelling the German onslaught they could not have done without the air support they received.

Apparently the Allied air forces in the Mediterranean area threw everything they had into the Anzio battle. At the height of the fighting, Allied Liberators and Flying Fortresses plastered the German front line troops and rear line reinforcements with 40,000 20-pound fragmentation bombs. The tremendous effect of this explosive accumulation proved to be the death blow of the German offensive.

What the Allied air forces did to the Germans in the Anzio battle is reported to be the greatest air bombardment ever launched in co-operation with ground forces in the history of aerial warfare. It is only an inkling of what is to come. When the invasion of the continent from the west begins, the history of aerial warfare is in for plenty of annotation.

FEDERAL JOBS FOR VETERANS

A good statement of the Federal government's traditional policy of giving war veterans preference for employment in jobs for which they are qualified was made by Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Republican leader of the House.

Representative Martin pointed out that since the selective service law provides that drafted men shall be returned to their civilian jobs if they so desire, the government should set a good example. Veterans customarily receive credit in civil service examinations for their war service.

This policy can be adhered to without reducing civil service requirements. Men and women veterans represent all occupations and all degrees of training.

But Federal preference should not handicap a veteran in obtaining private employment. There should be no thought that the Federal government can find jobs for more than a small percentage of returning veterans, probably not more than 10 per cent. It can not make jobs for them by letting out employes who have civil service protection, and the number of Federal employes is destined to be drastically reduced because the people will not be able to carry the load.

The spirit of the selective service act should be faithfully observed by all employers, private and public.

NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS

TULLYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Stake, Oxford avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anna Mae Stake, to Edward J. Kohler, Aviation Machinist Mate 3/c, now stationed at Norfolk, Va. Mr. Kohler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kohler, of Middletown.

CROYDON

Miss Marie Tregl had the misfortune of falling and scalding her hands on Friday evening.

Pvt. Harry Lahr has been transferred from Camp Wheeler, Ga., to Fort Meade, Md.

A meeting of Zone 3 air raid wardens will be held on Thursday evening at seven o'clock at the home of Timothy Coyne, instead of at the casualty station.

FALLSINGTON

The Junior Youth Fellowship met at the home of the Misses Edith and Eleanor Whitlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Parmar and daughters, Mary and Miriam, of Trenton, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Buckalew.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Myers and daughters, Catherine and Dorothea, of Lumberville, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Prevost, of Fallsington Heights.

Mrs. Joseph Smolinski and daughter, Anna Mae, of Morrisville, have been spending several days at the home of Mrs. Smolinski's mother, Mrs. Lena Updike.

The Falls Township Fire Company met last week in the fire house. Nicholas Sansone, secretary, reports new members are needed.

Miss Anne Amice celebrated her 23rd birthday anniversary at her home in Fallsington at a dinner party. Miss Gertrude Grunes, of Philadelphia, was a guest of Miss Amice.

Robert N. Graham has been appointed as school director of the Falls Township school to fill the unexpired term of the late Charles M. Headley.

THE CAPITOL WHIRL

A Digest of Things Political Occurring At Harrisburg

By International News Service

HARRISBURG, Mar. 14—(INS)—Gov. Edward Martin probably will call the Legislature into a special session because legislative leaders have agreed that the current soldier voting law does not permit sufficient time for members of the armed services to obtain and return their ballots to county commissioners. . . . Several legislators have indicated the time limit will be extended to 90 days. . . . Governor Martin has indicated a reluctance to convene an extraordinary session because of the cost but has promised to aid soldiers and sailors to vote in the 1944 elections.

The proposed special session will be the 22nd since 1791 when the Commonwealth started functioning under a constitution. . . . If the session, which the Governor says can be concluded within two weeks, lasts less than 30 days the salary bill of the legislators will total $129,000. . . . If the session extends beyond a month, the lawmakers will receive an additional $250 or a total of $64,500. . . . The last special session, convened by former Gov. Arthur H. James in 1942, cost the taxpayers approximately $369,000. . . . The Assemblymen met for 62 days.

The Department of Labor and Industry has disclosed that approximately $340,480,999 was paid up to May 31, 1943 in benefits since the inception of the Workmen's Compensation Act January 1, 1916. . . . Of this sum, $128,673,693 was awarded in 41,663 fatal cases; $82,831,069 in 75,692 permanent disability cases and $128,976,237 in 1,693,204 cases of temporary disability. . . . The Department said the amounts paid for medical, surgical and hospital services were not included but officials estimated it to be approximately one-third of the totals.

The "Right of Way," organ of the Pennsylvania Threshermen and Farmers' Protective Association, has stated editorially that a national work draft "would be second only to a general strike in the destruction of American morale." . . . The editorial stated that "family life would be jeopardized, personal liberty would be abolished and dictatorship would be established beyond a question of a doubt."

John Siggins, Jr., chairman of the Public Utility Commission, has a hobby that surprises his colleagues. . . . The 63-year-old self-styled "woodsman" is an accomplished wood carver and has various examples of his handiwork to prove it. . . . One of his best carvings was a statuette of former Public Commissioner Richard J. Beamish, of Harrisburg. . . . Beamish, ousted in 1943 from his $10,000-a-year job by ripper legislation, has pleaded with Siggins for the small figure ever since he first saw it. . . . However, Siggins withstood the pleas for about a year before finally weakening. . . . Beamish is now the proud possessor of a miniature of himself, complete to pince nez perched horizontally on his nose to the "bay window" stomach.

Make Straight and Shallow Drills for Seed Sowing

After the Victory garden has been laid out, so that you know where the rows are to be, a line should be stretched to mark the first row.

Some gardeners use a straight, narrow board as a sort of ruler to make the row straight. A garden line is likely to be more convenient; heavy lines wound on iron reels are handy, but any strong cord stretched between two stakes will do.

Using the corner of a hoe, draw in the soft soil a shallow trench with this line as a guide. This is known as a drill. In the spring a very shallow trench is called for, in which to sow small seeds. Some prefer to use the end of the hoe handle rather than the corner of the blade. Others have small hoes which they like; but it is more a matter of the touch than the tool.

For small seeds, such as radishes, onions, carrots, lettuce, and endive, a drill half an inch deep is enough. A little deeper for beets and Swiss chard, and an inch for peas, beans and sweet corn will be sufficient. Shallow sowing is preferred nowadays in the cool, moist spring, but make drills a little deeper when hot weather comes.

You may have read that seed should be covered to a depth four times their diameter. It would be impossible to manage that with any exactitude, and quite unnecessary. Gardening may be conducted with generous tolerances; and it is a mistake to consider it as a precision operation.

The chief point to watch in making a drill is to keep it straight. Use the line as a guide, but do not put any pressure on it, otherwise you will easily swing it out of line and your drill will follow a winding course which will make your garden look messy, and increase the work of cultivation. If this happens, fill up the drill and try again; take it slowly and you will soon acquire the knack.

Stretch Line Tight and Keep It Straight.

RECIPES

For the Recipe File

Of all the homemade sweets for children this is one of the easiest and most wholesome.

Dried Fruit Confection

½ pound figs
½ pound seedless raisins
½ pound nut meats
(may be omitted)

Grind through a meat chopper, using the medium size cutter. Form into balls and roll in sugar, preferably powdered sugar. Store in a tin box or tight jar.

Butterscotch Sauce

1 egg yolk
3 tablespoons butter or substitute
¼ cup water
2/3 cup brown sugar
1/3 cup corn syrup

Beat yolk, add remaining ingredients. Cook over boiling water to a thick syrup. Beat thoroughly before using. Serve hot or cold, makes about 1 cup.

TAG, YOU'RE IT

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. — (INS) — Starlings played tag with Springfield firemen recently. The firemen attempted to drive the birds from ledges on a downtown building. Before they could turn on the water the starlings flew to the opposite side of the structure. The firemen followed but the birds returned to their original location. This procedure continued for some time. The firemen finally tried to swamp the starlings in flight but could not hit the elusive targets. Unsuccessful, they gave it up in disgust.

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THE RED CARNATION by BURTON STEVENSON

CHAPTER THIRTY-THREE

The hotel people could tell him nothing. They had heard no shot nor any disturbance. So far as they knew, Metcalf had had no visitors during the evening. The patient who had called upon him, if there had really been one, had come and gone unobserved. Neither the superintendent, doorman, or elevator boys had noticed anyone enter or leave the building who seemed in any way suspicious. At the end of ten minutes Duffy dismissed them with a wave of the hand.

"There's a bunch of reporters downstairs," the superintendent remarked, as he was leaving. "Can't I send them up?"

"Not just yet," said Duffy. "Tell them I'll see them just as soon as I can."

The superintendent went out with a face of gloomy resignation. Duffy closed the door after him and returned to the inner room.

Then he saw Metcalf's house boy standing in the doorway to the stairs leading to the floor above.

"Please, sir, what has happen?" the boy asked.

"Looks like Dr. Metcalf killed himself," answered Duffy.

"He—he is d-d-dead?" stammered the boy.

"Yes. You go back upstairs and stay there. Don't you dare to leave or to touch anything. I want to question you."

"Me no leave," mutterec the boy.

Duffy dropped wearily into the chair in front of the doctor's desk—the patient's chair. Tony drew up another.

"Well, Tony, guess you were right and I was wrong. Metcalf must have been mixed up with McKibben in blackmail, found out that McKibben was double-crossing him, and bumped him off. He thought he was safe until you showed up this afternoon and told him about that record we found in McKibben's safe. Then he knew it would be traced to him, and that the jig was up."

"He certainly didn't give any indication that he was going to kill himself," said Tony. "He wasn't even upset."

"Maybe there were some reasons we don't know about yet," Duffy said, and picked up the automatic from the desk where the photographer had left it. "This is a fancy little gun, isn't it?"

It was a Colt baby .25 automatic, about four inches long, so small it could be carried in the vest pocket, or concealed in the hand, and it had a beautifully-engraved ivory stock.

"It looks to me more like a woman's pistol than a man's," Tony observed.

"It would suit a psychiatrist all right," Duffy retorted. "In fact it is just the sort I'd expect him to buy. I wonder if Metcalf had a license," he added, as he turned the pistol over. And then he snorted. "That proves he was a crook! Look, the number has been filed off. Neat job, too. We'll bring the number out again and find out where he got it." He opened the magazine and found that it contained four cartridges.

"How many cartridges do these baby magazines hold?" Tony asked.

"Six."

"Then two shots have been fired."

"That doesn't mean anything," said Duffy. "Maybe he didn't fill the magazine, or maybe he fired the other shot a long time ago." He laid the pistol back on the desk. "Now suppose we look around. First, what about that dictograph?"

Tony was conscious of something beating faintly at the back of his mind, some association of ideas which he could not bring together, like the ghost of a memory knocking for admittance. But he couldn't recapture it, and in a moment it was gone.

"What's the matter with you?" Duffy asked. "Gone to sleep?"

"I was just trying to remember something and couldn't."

"All right. Wake up. I want you to show me how this dictograph works."

"There's the receiver in the front of the desk," Tony said. "See that perforated panel? Well, that's it. The switch that controls it is in the floor under the desk somewhere. Metcalf worked it with his foot."

Duffy got out his flashlight and turned it under the desk. "I see it," he said. "It's a push-button," and he sat down in the doctor's chair and felt for it with his foot. "I've got it."

"There's another control under the head of that couch in the next room," Tony went on. "I suppose most of the confessions were made in there. It's a clever arrangement."

"Talk for a minute and let's see how the thing works," said Duffy, his foot on the switch.

"There is one point," Tony began, "which makes me think that Metcalf either killed himself or was shot suddenly by someone whom he trusted."

"Somebody could have sneaked up on him from behind," Duffy suggested. "Don't forget that that little pistol could be concealed in the hand. Metcalf might not have known that the other fellow had it. That's enough," he added, taking his foot off the button. "Let's see what we've got."

They found the dictograph after a few minutes' search. It was in the cabinet of polished wood which stood against the wall beside the door leading to the inner office. It was a powerful detecto-dictograph, of the latest make. It included not only a recorder, but a reproducer and a reconditioner, and the recorder was of an intricate magazine construction which loaded a fresh record onto the cylinder when the old one was filled, and slipped the old one off. There was a half-filled record on the cylinder now. Tony slipped it off gently, placed it in the reproducer and turned the switch.

There were two sharp clicks, then for a moment only a confused low sound, then a faint tapping. . . .

"The contraption wasn't working," said Duffy in disgust.

"Listen!" and Tony held up his hand.

There was a moment's silence, then the tapping began again, and then they caught the almost inaudible ringing of a bell, then a moment's silence, then a little more faint tapping. Tony snapped off the switch, his eyes blazing with excitement.

"Do you know what that is?" he asked. "That's Metcalf's typewriter!"

"You mean he had his foot on the button while he wrote that message?"

"Looks like it," Tony said, and switched the record back to the beginning. "Now listen carefully. Perhaps we'll hear the shot."

But they did not hear the shot. There was, at the beginning, only the same confused sounds, then a faint sound like the opening of a drawer, then the uneven tapping in two little spurts, then a moment's silence, and then the tapping began again, punctuated by the ringing of the bell, and finally a sequence of confused sounds, ending with a faint click, and then suddenly, quite loud, Tony was saying, "There is one point which makes me think Metcalf either killed himself" . . .

Tony switched the record off again. "That was Metcalf typing all right," he said. "Did you notice how slow and uneven it was? But what happened after that? Why wasn't there any shot?"

"That's easy," Duffy answered. "He took his foot off the button."

"But those other sounds. It seemed to me that someone was walking around."

"Maybe it was Metcalf."

"But if Metcalf was walking around, his foot couldn't have been on the button."

"I don't see how it could have been on the button anyway," said Duffy. "A man couldn't sit at that desk with his foot on the button and write on that machine at the same time."

"Let's take a look," said Tony, and they went to the desk and experimented. They found that it could be done, but it was a most uncomfortable posture.

"Maybe that button got stuck in some way," said Duffy. "Let's play the record over again."

Tony did so and the two listened intently.

"That walking-around stuff is just your imagination," said Duffy, when Tony switched the record off. "That was Metcalf at his desk—he was fussing around doing something—looking through the drawers, getting out his automatic, making up his mind—and then, when he was ready, he shifted his feet, leaned back and shot himself."

"Probably you're right," Tony agreed, and closed the dictograph. "But if I were you, Jim, I would have this machine taken down to Headquarters and locked up. I should like to play that record sometime with an amplifier on it. It might bring out those faint sounds so that we could tell what they are. And why not impound the typewriter for awhile?"

"I don't see much sense in it," Duffy growled. "But all right, if you say so."

The detective dialed his office and asked for a patrol wagon and an electrician. Then he went through Metcalf's desk, but there was nothing there except some letter-heads and envelopes in the top drawer, and in the others a jumble of canceled checks, receipted bills, etc.

"There's nothing in here," he said at last. "What's in that big steel cabinet back there?"

"Metcalf said that is where he kept his dictograph records."

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CHAPTER THIRTY-FOUR

Duffy strode back to the cabinet, took the doctor's keys from his pocket, found the one which fitted the lock and opened the central door. On a series of shelves inside were ranged perhaps a hundred round cardboard boxes about three inches in diameter and six or seven inches long. Some two dozen of them were on an upper shelf, and each of these bore a label on which were a name and a date.

"Those lower ones are blanks, I suppose," said Tony. "These labeled ones are where the dynamite is," and he picked up one of the boxes, took off the cover, and drew the wax cylinder half-way out. Then, with an exclamation of surprise, he drew it all the way out and looked at it closely.

"Why, it's a blank, too!" he cried. "A blank?" Duffy echoed. "How the deuce can that be?"

He took the cylinder and held it up to the light. There could be no doubt about it. Its surface was as smooth and polished as when it came from the factory.

"It has been reconditioned," Tony said, and strode over to the machine in the corner. "Look here," and Duffy saw at the bottom of the reconditioning compartment a pile of thin wax shavings. "Metcalf must have done that tonight—put them in here one after the other, so that no incriminating confessions would be left behind. I must say, it makes me think more highly of him."

"Yes," Duffy nodded. "And it's also proof positive that he was getting ready to kill himself."

Tony went back to the cabinet and examined three or four more of the records. They were all blank.

"It was quite a racket while it lasted," Duffy went on, as he locked up the cabinet. "I'll bet there's a woman in the woodpile somewhere. What are you frowning about? Aren't you satisfied yet? You don't think Metcalf was murdered, do you?"

"I don't think anything—but I never cared much for confessions. Too many people confess things they never did."

"You seldom heard of anybody confessing a murder he never did," retorted Duffy. "But don't worry—we'll find some confirmation—we're bound to. We'll go over his rooms upstairs and put some heat on that Jap boy of his. He wasn't telling all he knew."

They had returned to the outer room and Tony picked up the coquettish little automatic.

"There may be something in your idea that there's a woman in the case, Jim," he said. "This certainly is a woman's gun—"

"Or a psychiatrist's," the detective added.

Tony laid the pistol back on the desk and picked up the key which Duffy had found in Metcalf's vest pocket.

"That's the key to his apartment," the detective remarked.

"I wonder why he didn't carry it on his key ring?" Tony said. "Look here, Jim. This apartment is 710. The number on this key is 708. That's the Graham apartment next door."

"Let's go," and Duffy led the way into the hall.

Apartment 708 was smaller than 610, 710, and 810, the only others which Tony had seen in this building, and was furnished less luxuriously, but it was still a very pleasant habitation. He walked straight to the windows looking down on McKibben's terrace, and in a moment he found what he was looking for. The paint on the window sill nearest Metcalf's apartment was rubbed and scored.

"There you are," said Tony. "That is the way he got down. You see it wasn't a rope, it was a ladder—there are two marks right across the sill. It was probably tied to this radiator under the window. If we could only find that ladder!"

"He wouldn't be such a fool as to keep it," grunted Duffy. "Is this where that fellow Graham lives?"

"Yes. He has been in California for a month."

"And gave Metcalf the key and asked him to look after the place while he was away?"

"I don't see why he should expect Metcalf to bother, especially when the place is inspected twice a week by the superintendent. No, I think there is more to Metcalf's having the key than that. Shall we look around a little?"

They didn't find anything, and finally left the place, locking the door after them, and returned to Metcalf's office.

"Now we'll go upstairs," said Duffy. "Come along, Freeman," he added to the stenographer who had been waiting patiently until his services might be required, and led the way up the stairs to Metcalf's living rooms.

They found the Jap houseboy seated in the kitchen. His face was drawn and sallow and seemed to have shrunk to half its usual size.

"What's the matter with you?" Duffy demanded. "What are you afraid of?"

"Not afraid of nothing," retorted the boy.

"Then what's the matter?"

"Him very good to me," the boy explained, and his eyes were filled with misery.

Duffy paused for a moment. "Well, brace up," he said, not unkindly. "I've got to ask you some questions."

The boy followed along to the library, where the detective sat down again in the easy chair with the pile of papers beside it on the floor, and motioned the stenographer to draw up another.

"Now tell me your name again," he began.

"Noguchi Kato, sir. Doctor call me Joe."

"Yes, I know. How long have you been with Metcalf?"

"Four year, sir."

"Ever see a fellow named Jack McKibben up here?"

Joe shook his head. "No know," he said, and as Tony looked at him he saw that that was going to be the reply to every question which, for any reason, Joe preferred not to answer.

"Now I want you to think back to last Monday night," Duffy went on. "This is Thursday. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. Where was Metcalf Monday night?"

"Him here. Him have dinner here."

"By himself?"

"Yes, sir," answered the boy stolidly.

"Seemed to be fond of dining by himself," the detective commented ironically. "What did he do after dinner Monday night?"

"No know."

"Why don't you know?" Duffy barked.

"Monday night my night off. Leave soon as I clear up kitchen."

"And you didn't get back till when?"

"Till next morning."

"All right. Give me the name and address of the girl you were with."

"No girl. Me with father and mother," said Joe sullenly.

"Ah, a home body! All right. Let's have your father's name and address."

"His name Takashi Kato."

"Where does he live?"

"Twenty-five Grand Street."

"And you spent every Monday night at home?"

"Yes, sir. Except doctor need me here."

"That's the reason Metcalf chose Monday night to put McKibben away," Duffy remarked, turning to Tony. "He knew the coast would be clear. Now another thing, Joe. What kind of pistol did Metcalf have?"

"Him never have pistol," said the boy quickly.

"Do you mean to say that you have never seen a pistol anywhere around here?"

"Him never have pistol."

"How can you be so sure?"

"Me never see pistol all time I been here."

"That doesn't prove he never had one," Duffy pointed out. "Now you stay right here. We're going to take a look around."

The detective and the columnist proceeded to a systematic search of the apartment, and presently they found what they were looking for but had scarcely hoped to find. Shoved back on a high shelf in a closet in Metcalf's bedroom was an old suitcase, and in it were a pair of suede gloves on one of which was a dark stain, a scorched and crumpled towel with a powder-marked hole in it, and a rope-ladder about twenty feet in length.

"That ladder looks Japanese to me," observed Duffy.

It was made of two fine but very strong silken cords, in which rungs of bamboo had been knotted about ten inches apart. He strode out to the library with the ladder in his hands.

"What do you know about this, Joe?" he asked, and shook it in front of the houseboy's face.

Joe stared at it in evident astonishment—a little too evident, perhaps, Tony thought.

"Where you find him?" Joe asked.

"Come and I'll show you," and Duffy led the way back into the bedroom. "I found it on that shelf up there in the closet. It was in this suitcase. Do you recognize the suitcase?"

"Doctor's suitcase," said Joe. "But he no keep him up there. Keep him in storeroom."

"Oh, he did, did he? And when did you get it out of the storeroom?"

(To be continued)

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Assumes Post As Staff Aide With The Red Cross

SELLERSVILLE, Mar. 14 — Miss Mary Augusta Maschke, of Sellersville, has been assigned to Camp Van Dorn, Miss., as an American Red Cross hospital staff aide.

On completion of Red Cross orientation at American University, Washington, D. C., Miss Maschke assumes her duties at the camp hospital.

She is one of a large group of American Red Cross women hospital workers classified as field directors and assistant field directors, medical and psychiatric case workers, social workers, recreation workers, and staff aides. Their duties vary according to their classification.

Prior to her appointment with the American Red Cross, Miss Maschke worked at the Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., Philadelphia. She was graduated in 1939 from Seton Hill School, Greensburg, and took a secretarial course at Temple University. Miss Maschke is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Maschke, of Sellersville.

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In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

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To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

PFC Benjamin Stockett, Jr., of the U. S. Army Air Corps, who has been stationed at Ft. Myers, Fla., has been transferred to Charleston, S. C., where he will instruct in aerial gunnery. He is now spending a 10 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Stockett, Green Lane.

Morris Green, Market street, was removed by Burlington Rescue Squad Thursday evening to the National Stomach Hospital, Philadelphia, where he is receiving treatment.

Mrs. Harry Kendig and son, Knoxville, Tenn., are paying several weeks visit with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wilinski and daughter Barbara, Delanco, N. J., spent the week-end with Mrs. Wilinski's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Vodarski, Hayes street.

Forrest Smith, Cornwells Heights, spent Friday visiting Mrs. Irene Sharp and Mrs. Milton Miller, Jr., Harrison street.

Miss Bella Traas, who is taking a nurses training course at the Community Hospital, Philadelphia, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Traas, Monroe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Jr., Belmar, N. J., spent a day the latter part of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goslin, Sr., Market street.

Mrs. Hattie Price, Chester, spent the week-end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Neal G. Miller, Beaver street.

Mr. and Mrs. John VanSciver and family have moved from Bath street to Locust street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Renk, Monmouth Junction, N. J., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Renk, Pond street. Miss Gladys Darrah, Chambersburg, was a Sunday overnight guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Renk.

Mrs. David Britton and daughter Claire, Pond street, spent a day last week visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvel Durham, Monroe street, spent Sunday in Philadelphia visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Focosi.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ryan and family, Beaver Road, were visitors a day last week of Mrs. Ryan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martin, Cecil, N. J. Mrs. Martin returned to Bristol with Mr. and Mrs. Ryan where she spent a few days.

Today's Quiet Moment

(By the Rev. James R. Galley)
Pastor
Bristol Presbyterian Church

Eternal Father, as we come unto Thee it is with a prayer for the forgiveness of all our sins, for we know how we have failed Thee. We are aware of the many times we have had the opportunity of advancing Thy Kingdom, yet have refused to do so. We are aware of the many times we have wilfully disobeyed Thy Will. Place within our hearts a new resolution, O God, and a new determination to do Thy Will. Help us as we strive to live lives which reflect Thy Glory and bring to a glorious culmination the Kingdom of Jesus Christ our Lord, in Whose Name we pray. Amen.

Coming Events

Organizations whose announcements are printed in this column can reciprocate by having all printing in connection with announced events done by the publishers of this paper. Information must be complete when first given as alterations cannot be made after they have once been put into type.

The Courier requests that individuals or organizations refrain from asking to have published in this column or elsewhere in The Courier affairs at which radio, bingo, or any other games of chance are played. Government postal laws forbid sending through the mails any publications carrying references to such games of chance.

Mar. 16—
Luncheon given by Ladies' Auxiliary of Union Fire Co., 12 noon for business employees; 12:30 p. m. for others.

Mar. 18—
Sauer kraut supper in Croydon Methodist Church, 5 to 8 p. m., sponsored by W. S. C. S.

April 19—
"Fathers' Varieties" sponsored by Fathers' Ass'n in Bristol high school auditorium, 8 p. m.

Mar. 22—
Card party in Cornwells Fire Co. No. 1 station, sponsored by Ladies' Auxiliary.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

Eight of the world's most beautiful girls, picked from hundreds of candidates after a nationwide talent hunt, are featured in the musical extravaganza, "Around the World," starring Kay Kyser, his band and the College of Musical Knowledge, opening today at the Grand.

The eye-arresting beauties were rounded up from all sections of the country, after an intensive search for feminine pulchritude in which 25 trained talent sleuths from RKO Radio's Hollywood studios participated.

All eight girls, on the strength of their outstanding beauty and talent as displayed in "Around the World," are now under long-term contracts.

RITZ THEATRE

"Hitler's Madman," now showing on the screen of the Ritz Theatre, is a powerful indictment of Nazism and all it stands for and presented in an effective and entertaining manner.

"Murder at the Waterfront" is also showing.

1¢ SALE
Garlic Tablets
for Symptomatic Relief of
High Blood Pressure

If you are a sufferer from high blood pressure, you know the value of concentrated garlic tablets—how they aid to relieve those distressing associated symptoms of dizziness, nervousness, dullness, tiredness, headaches, ringing in the ears, and throbbing in the head. Now, for a limited time only, you can obtain nationally-known Cambridge Garlic Tablets, specially coated to reduce unpleasant taste and odor, at a real saving. Here is your chance to get a $1.00 box of these famous tablets for only 1¢. In other words, during this 1¢ sale, you can buy one box for $1.00 and an extra box for only 1¢ more. You will get two regular $1.00 boxes of finest quality Cambridge Garlic Tablets for only $1.01. For even greater savings, you can buy 4 boxes for $2.02, 6 boxes for $3.03, etc.

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CROYDON, PA.

The ability to start is worthless without the stability to finish.

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"Murder On The Waterfront"

Wednesday and Thursday
"SILVER SKATES"
and
"IS EVERYBODY HAPPY?" with Ted Lewis and Orchestra

A few drops relieve Miseries of Sneezy, SNIFFLY COLDS
Put 3-purpose Va-tro-nol up each nostril. It (1) shrinks swollen membranes, (2) soothes irritation, (3) helps clear cold-clogged nose. Follow directions in folder. VICKS VA-TRO-NOL

Replace Your Lost Income
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Sick or Injured
WITH A TRIPLE GUARANTEED
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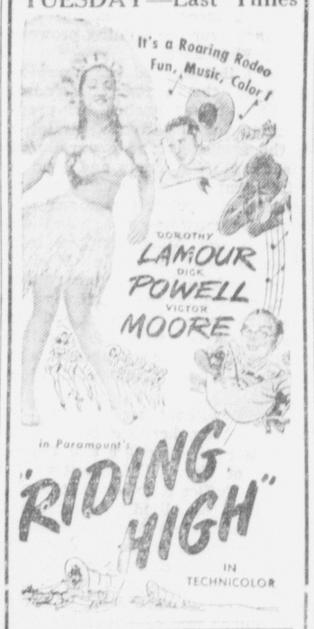
Eat at Bowen's
Bristol Pike below Green Lane
DELICIOUS SEA FOOD
Open 12 to 7, Except Saturday
CHICKEN STEAKS

GRAND Tuesday and Wednesday
Sharp and Solid!..
LETS GO...IT'S FUN ALL OVER THE MAP!
...for laughs, looks and listens as a happy gang of troupers gives out for our fighting troops —all over the globe!
Around the World
Starring KAY KYSER with MISCHA AUER
JOAN DAVIS ★ MARCY McGUIRE
WALLY BROWN ★ ALAN CARNEY
and KAY KYSER'S BAND
featuring
Ish Kabibble • Georgia Carroll • Harry Babbitt
Sully Mason • Julie Conway
Diane Pendleton • Jack & Max
5 SONG HITS!
RKO RADIO
Produced and Directed by ALLAN DWAN
Original Story and Screen Play by Ralph Spence • Special material by Carl Herzinger
This Is America Series—"MAIL CALL"
"FIELD CHAMPIONS" NEWS EVENTS

Income Tax
Open Only
1 P. M. to 10 P. M.
Thos. A. Collier
109 CEDAR STREET

JOIN
THE HUNTER GUARD FORCE
Help protect property and processes vital to the war effort.
Our Guards have recently been awarded the Guidon Award by the Third Service Command for outstanding and meritorious service.
We have a few openings. Previous military or police experience helpful but not necessary. Recently discharged service men will find this work pleasant and healthful. Age no barrier if physically fit. Uniforms furnished. Stop at our Employment Office for an interview.
HUNTER MFG. CORP.
CROYDON, PA.
Weekdays—9 A. M. to 2 P. M.
—or—
U. S. Employment Service
216 Mill St., Bristol, Pa.

Bristol
BUCKS COUNTY'S FINEST
TUESDAY—Last Times



Coming Wednesday
"KLONDIKE KATE"
AND
"KNOCKOUT"

BREWED TO REPLACE CONTINENTAL EUROPEAN BEERS

Brewed in America
WM. NEIS & SON
124 E. State St., Doylestown
Phone: Doylestown 4215

LEGAL NOTICE

In the Orphans' Court of the County of Bucks, Pennsylvania.
Estate of Alice B. Frear, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Horace M. Frear and Arthur G. Frear, executors of the estate of Charles H. Frear, late of the borough of Bristol, have filed in said estate their petition praying that the real estate of the decedent to be set aside on account of the $5,000 exemption as allowed by Section 2-A of the Intestate Act of 1917, and that the same has been duly appraised and the claim may be allowed by the Court on Thursday, the 6th day of April, 1944, unless exceptions thereto be filed before that time.
HORACE S. DAVIS,
Attorney for Petitioner
X—3-7—2tow

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Emma P. Scott, late of the Borough of Bristol, Pa., deceased.
Letters Testamentary having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to
THE BRISTOL TRUST CO.,
Executor,
Bristol, Pa.
or to its attorney
HOWARD I. JAMES,
Bristol, Pa. 2-7-6tow

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

All copy must be received not later than 10 a. m., for publication on that day. Minimum cost, 30 cents. When insertions are not consecutive, one-day rate applies.

Announcements

Deaths 1

ACCARDI—At Abington, Pa., Mar. 11, 1944, Filomena Accardi (nee Napoli), wife of Andrew Accardi. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Wednesday at nine a. m. from her late residence, 442 Jefferson avenue. High Requiem Mass in St. Mark's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment in St. Mark's Cemetery.

Funeral Directors 5

A CONVENIENT PLAN—For moderate funerals. William I. Murphy Est., 316 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

Personals 7

WANTED—Talent for Bucks County & Bristol Barn Dances. For radio broadcast. If you have any type of talent here is a free opportunity to broadcast over the air. Cash prizes. Apply 447 Mill St., Bristol.

DESIRES RIDERS TO PHILA.—Leaving Croydon about 6:30 a. m. and leaving Phila. around 4 p. m. Will alternate with another car or will ride with someone. C. Hymovitz, Cedar & New York Aves., Croydon.

Strayed, Lost, Found 10

LOST—Children's pet, brown and white fox terrier, ans. to name of 'Flicka.' Disappeared Fri. night from Bristol Terr. Rew. for ret. or information. Hugh VanDine, 33 Murphy Avenue.

STOLEN—Bicycle from residence of Naylor's, Newport Road, West Bristol. Return & save trouble. If you desire, call Bristol 3260.

LOST—Check made out to Clementina Davie. Please ret. to 2022 Trenton Ave. Reward.

Automotive

Automobiles for Sale 11

BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection. Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville, Pa.

Auto Accessories, Tires, Parts 13

PRE-WAR U. S. TIRES & TUBES—12 ply, used truck tires, two size 34x7. Two size 36x8. Four tubes for same. Pract. new. Also 12-volt Exide heavy duty truck battery. Nadler's Super Service, Highway below Mill street.

Wanted—Automotive 17

WANTED—Clean used cars. We pay top prices. Enterprise Garage, 809 Wood St., ph. Bristol 2411.

Business Service

Business Services Offered 18

PLOWING DONE—Manure provided or sold separately. H. Adams, ph. Bristol 7779.

Building and Contracting 19

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey, ph. Bristol 7125.

FOR ANY CONSTRUCTION—Maintenance or repairs call Bris. 2490 or Mor. 7441. Financing arranged.

BIRD ROOFS & SIDING—Financing arranged. Delaware River Roofing Co., Newport Rd., West Bristol. Phone Bristol 7315.

CAMERON, DELKER & CAMERON—Plumbing & heating contractors. Weil-McLain heating boilers and Myers pumps. Phone Bristol 2793 or 2573.

Moving, Trucking, Storage 25

MOVING & HAULING—Of all description. Also padded van service. Joe Gross, Orchard Ave. and State Road, or phone Bristol 7972 after 5:30 p. m.

MOVING—Hauling & Storage. Complete cargo insured. We can move you with our padded van. Day or night. Dial 3461 or 2822. DiNunzio, 305 Dorrance St.

Painting, Painting, Decorating 26

PAPERHANGING & PAINTING—Sanding of floors, general work. Anthony DiNunzio & Son, 902 Jefferson Ave., phone 3184.

Employment

Help Wanted—Female 32

HAIRDRESSERS, 2—Full time. Excellent salary, or part time to suit your convenience. Apply Ida's Beauty Salon, 311 Mill St.

GIRLS—For ware-room work, either experienced or learners. Apply Gray Line Hosiery Co., Street rd., Eddington.

WOMAN—Good cook & housework-er. We offer a good home, private room & bath to a refined reliable woman. References. Salary $15 week. Phone Bristol 7840.

Employment

Help Wanted—Female 32

THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS—Are open at our office: Stenographer-clerk for superintendent's office; billing machine operator, experience in typing necessary. We will train you for other duties. Assistant bookkeeper, various duties—figuring production reports, labor tickets and typing them. Assistant cashier—duties include figuring payroll, typing checks in payment of bills, listing incoming checks and checking them with customers' accounts; and other bookkeeping duties. Apply at P. P. P. Co.

Help Wanted—Male 33

WE HAVE STEADY JOBS
available for men
ON BOTH DAY & NIGHT SHIFTS
We need men who are interested in their post-war futures. Applicants must be over 16 years of age. Those now engaged in essential industry can not be considered.
Apply at plant office
9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
MANHATTAN SOAP COMPANY
Radcliffe Street

WANTED—Tree trimmers and laborers. Steady work. Call James Riccardi, Phone Yardley 2614.

LABORERS—Colored & white. Permanent or temporary. No shift or Sunday work. Persons engaged in war work need not apply. Wilson Distilling Co., Inc., Bristol, Pa. Interviews 9:30 a. m. to 3:30 p. m.

Help—Male and Female 34

JANITORS—Male & female. Apply for interview, Wilson Distilling Co., Inc., Bristol, Pa., daily 9:30 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Livestock

Poultry and Supplies 49

LEGHORN COCKERELS. Day old. Reasonable. Call Bristol 569.

Merchandise for Sale

Articles for Sale 51

THREADED SCREW EYES—50c doz., $5 gross; chains & all military insignia. Reason Twiggs, Cedar Ave. and railroad, Croydon, Pa. Phone Bristol 7857.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers 56

WOOD—For sale, 553 Porter St., rear of Harriman Hospital.

Household Goods 59

5 PC. BREAKFAST SET—Porcelain top table, electric broiler, coil spring, $31. Call Corn. 0531W.

GAS RANGE—Cabinet type. Phone Bristol 7854.

Specials at the Stores 64

WALLPAPER—Complete room lots for any room in the house, size 9x12, $1.15, incl. sidewall, ceiling & border. Chas. Richman, 315 Mill.

Wanted—To Buy 66

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID—For scrap iron & metal, junk cars and trucks. Used auto parts for sale. Crawford's, Bath Road at Midway. Phone Bristol 3168.

WANTED—Paints, brushes. Used or new. Big stock for painter. Write 5700 Tackawanna St., Phila. 24. Phone Delaware 9522.

WANTED—Washing machine, in good condition. Call Bristol 7775.

Real Estate for Rent

Rooms for Housekeeping 69

FURNISHED ROOM—With cook stove & three-burner gas plate; reas. rates. Give refer. Preferably no children. Write Box 27, Courier.

Apartments and Flats 74

LANGHORNE MANOR—Apt., five rooms & tile bath. Garage. Private. Phone Langhorne 3723.

Lots for Sale 85

LOTS, 4—215 feet on N. Radcliffe St. Will divide. Call Bristol 2226.

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DAILY TRIPS
Farruggio's Express
901 Mansion St. Dial 2953
Philadelphia, 7 N. Front Street
Phone Market 3548

Wartime drivers find Studebaker the ideal economy car

DEPENDABLE transportation means more than ever these days to busy wartime drivers.

Here's what a big-city physician, name on request, recently said: "In my general practice, I can always count on my Studebaker these war days for reliable, low-cost performance."

That doctor is one of many hard-working civilians who are getting exceptional tire, gas and maintenance economy from their Studebaker Champions, Commanders and Presidents.

In fact, today, after well over two years of war, hundreds of thousands of essential motorists from coast to coast are still enjoying dependable transportation at low cost, thanks to the quality of Studebaker craftsmanship and the advanced principles of Studebaker engineering.

TORANO'S GARAGE
132 OTTER STREET BRISTOL, PA.

MINSTREL SHOW and DANCE
BENEFIT OF
Bristol Volunteer Fire Company, No. 6
Thursday Evening, March 16th
TO BE HELD IN
Mutual Aid Hall, Wood St.
AT EIGHT O'CLOCK
DANCING TO POPULAR ORCHESTRA
ADULTS, $1.10; CHILDREN (Under 12), 55c (Tax Included)
Servicemen in Uniform Admitted Free

MT. HOLLY EAGLES LOSE TO R. & H. IN LEAGUE MATCH

Bristol Team Wins Contest By Score of 50 to 42 On Burlington High Floor

VANZANT PACES TEAM

Scores Six Field Goals and Two From the Foul Mark

BURLINGTON, Mar. 14 — The Rohm and Haas team continued its winning way in the Bristol-Burlington League by beating the Mount Holly Eagles, 50-42, last night on the Burlington high school floor.

Jesse Vanzant paced the chemical mixers' victory by scoring six field goals and two fouls for fourteen points. Prickett and the Haines boys, Bob and Bill, led the Jersey team.

Rohm & Haas	Fd.G.	F.G.	F.T.	Tot.
Rice f	4	3	4	11
Caro f	0	0	0	0
Carnevale f	4	1	1	9
Wollard f	0	0	1	0
Murphy c	4	1	1	9
Klein g	3	0	0	6
Dougherty g	0	1	1	1
Vanzant g	6	2	2	14
	21	8	10	50
Mt. Holly Eagles				
Prickett f	5	0	0	10
Kline f	1	5	6	7
B. Haines c	5	0	0	10
Laverick g	1	1	1	3
W. Haines g	3	5	6	11
Adams g	0	0	0	0
Allen g	0	1	1	1
	15	12	14	42

Referee: Parker.
Timer: Schmidt.
Scorer: Castor.

BOWLING

MAJOR LEAGUE

Diamond				
Jones	148	250	178	576
Cahall	191	172	192	555
Andy	188	188	159	535
Deitrich	196	194	162	552
O'Boyle	216	181	201	598
	939	985	892	2816
Bailey's				
[illegible]ey	213	188	131	532
Baehser	201	186	149	536
Palumbo	212	144	160	516
Robinson	163	235	157	555
Lynn	170	148	209	527
	959	901	806	2666
Rohm & Haas				
Phipps	172	176	170	518
Carlen	183	159	171	513
Coleman	156	120	181	457
Korkel	200	160	181	541
Stewart	176	197	211	584
	887	812	914	2613
Burlington				
Sholl	214	177	181	572
Schroeder	157	158	204	519
Fletcher	168	166	129	463
Shumard	181	202	184	567
Amisson	188	181	168	537
	908	884	866	2658
Chris Taxi				
Jackson	113	147	143	403
Lynn	157	150	130	437
Bell	154	183	183	520
Ciotti	135	177	134	446
Pearson	144	169	187	500
	703	826	777	2306
Auto Boys				
Brown	161	201	176	538
Choma	153	163	175	491
Force	144	155	162	461
Streeper	143	147	134	424
Stoneback	173	176	178	527
	774	842	825	2441

Claim Construction Without Any License

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need of repairs to certain streets in the borough that are under state jurisdiction, particularly Durham road, Monroe street and Eastbrook avenue, and it is believed the matter will be remedied in the near future.

Complaint has been made of water being permitted to run from certain properties on Bellevue avenue onto the street, and this is to be taken care of by the proper committee.

Regarding a war memorial, it is the opinion of council that while some kind of an honor roll should be erected now, it would be better to wait until the close of the war to construct a permament, substantial memorial, that will be a town landmark, and it was given as the desire of the borough fathers to erect such a monument in a prominent place.

Constable Philip Lawrence recently told of a parking situation in front of the Casino Theatre, where cars frequently block the driveway to the Popielasz property across the street.

Desire is expressed that some adjustment be made to the stopping of the P. T. C. bus at the corner of Bellevue avenue and the Lincoln Highway, and the matter is to be taken up with the company.

KNOW YOUR STATE

The topographic mapping of Pennsylvania was begun in 1884 and maps have been issued for 223 of the 237 quadrangles covering the State. Maps for 14 quadrangles covering more than 3000 square miles of Pennsylvania have not been issued. It is expected that the mapping of the remaining areas will be completed within the next few years.

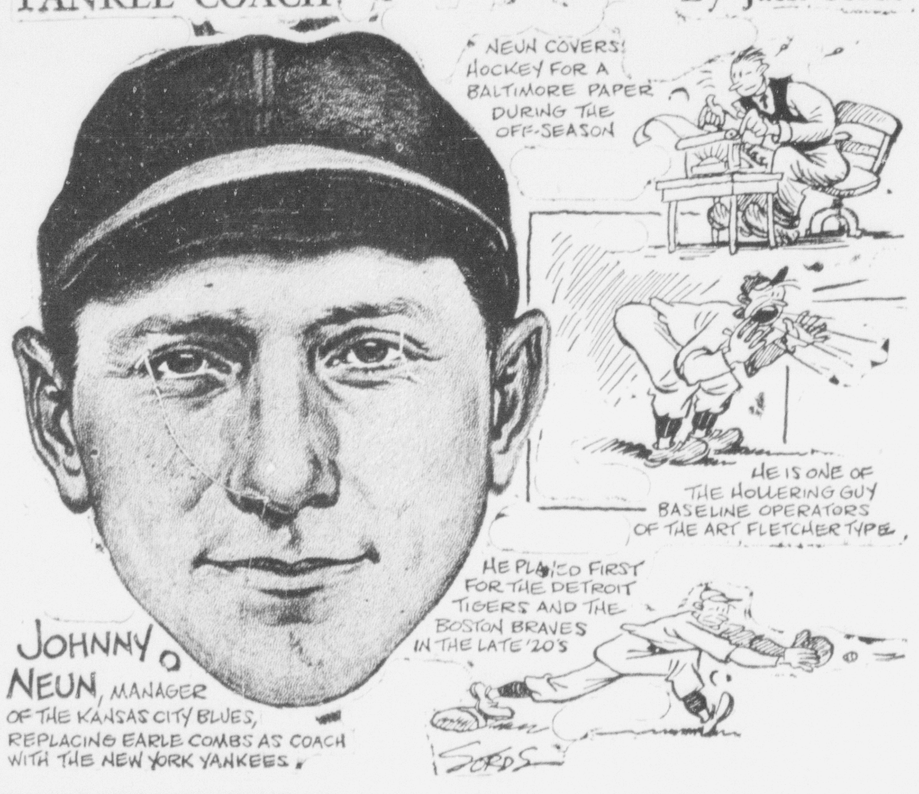
Topographic maps are general maps showing relief, water and cultural features. Relief is indicated by contour lines which show elevations above sea level. Patterns formed by successive contour lines depict the mountains, hills and valleys. Water features consist of streams, ponds, lakes, marshes and canals. Cultural features consist of the works of man, such as highways, railroads, buildings and civil division boundary lines.

Many of the older topographic maps are so far out of date that they are inadequate for most purposes. Although the relief and stream pattern has changed but little since the maps were made, new houses, factories, roads and other cultural changes have made them obsolete.

Methods used in mapping have undergone considerable changes and refinements so that the maps of areas surveyed in recent years are much more accurate and useful than the older ones. Since most of Pennsylvania's densely populated areas were mapped many years ago, it will be necessary to remap much of the State in order to bring the maps up-to-date. In recent years the demand has increased greatly for more accurate topographic maps and in many cases for maps at larger scales. The remapping of these areas constitute a worthwhile post-war project and the cost of this work will be small in comparison with the value of adequate up-to-date maps.

YANKEE COACH

By Jack Sords



For Young Women (20-36)

Questions, Answers About the WAVES

What pay may a girl expect after completing the WAVES' training course?

That depends upon her rating. For instance, as a third class petty officer she would receive base pay of $78 a month. In addition, where government food and quarters are not provided, she would receive $3.05 a day for subsistence—a total of about $170 a month. The base pay of a seaman, second class, is $54 a month; seaman, first class, $66; second class petty officer, $96; first class, $114, and chief, $126, with the same subsistence and quarters allowance in each case.

What about "dates" in the WAVES?

At training school, dates are permitted during week-end leave. While girls in training have crowded schedules, there is opportunity for recreation. After assignment to a duty station, members of the WAVES enjoy the normal social activities of girls in civilian life—with the added advantages, however, of entree to service clubs not available to civilians and free tickets to theatres, movies and other amusements where such tickets are provided for service men.

Full information about the WAVES may be obtained by visiting, writing or telephoning any Navy Recruiting Station or Office of Naval Officer Procurement.

Ge. Eisenhower Making Tremendous Invasion Plans

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corded in European warfare: General Eisenhower and the Allied chiefs are determined to shatter Hitler and his Wehrmacht into unconditional surrender before the end of 1944; Hitler is equally resolved to upset the Allied applecart and thwart the invasion of Europe.

At the moment each side is confident that ultimately the other side will be the loser, with the Nazis shouting too loud about their "dreadful invincibility" to be entirely convincing. They made the most of "the nerve war," using old tricks and new, mainly with the hope of frightening the Allies away from frontal assaults on the Fortress of Europe.

The favorite method of Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels has been that of exploiting the "invulnerable strength" of deeply-laid fortifications around the European west coasts, supplementing this with incessant gloatings and warnings over the fighting prowess of the Wehrmacht.

The Allied method has been entirely to the contrary: General Eisenhower has pushed his preparations and the invasion training of the armies behind a curtain of silence, allowing now and then a brief glimpse for the sake of reassuring the public that tough soldiers who know how to handle their weapons are being whipped into shape for that inevitable "D" day. An unmistakable forerunner has been, of course, the terrifying air offensive against the Reich and the Pas de Calais, with the parallel "killing off" process against the Luftwaffe and its production cradles.

It goes without saying that for the time being there can be no hint given as to the strength and dispositions of the Allied armies in Britain. Suffice it to say that come what may, the Allied troops on the ground as in the air can be counted on to unloose sufficient striking power to force a decision. As in Tunisia a year ago, so again might come a sudden collapse of German arms under our combined air and land onslaughts or there might develop the more costly and long-drawn "mile by mile" battle to the doors of Berlin.

From what I have seen of invasion preparations and troops in swings around the fields, I'd say both American and British troops and the organizations behind them will be ready to cope with whatever kind of battle is necessary. They can fight and move on the run, or tackle the enemy at close quarters and knock him down man to man. I believe the Allied invasion soldier of 1944 in training, fighting skill and endurance stamina has the drop over the rank and file German anti-invasion soldier of 1944.

This much is clear: on both the ground and in the air, the Allied emphasis is on offensive weapons and on offensive tactics. The opposite is true of the Nazis, who have been basically concentrating on ways and means of defending the shores of Europe, of challenging the Allied bombers over Germany, and of slowing the advance towards the Reich of the Russian armies in the east.

Confronted with a dangerous unknown quantity as far as the striking power of the Allied armies is concerned, the Germans in this invasion period have striven in every way to keep the Allies guessing by making various announcements and changes from time to time in the alleged anti-invasion plans.

In addition, they have diligently promoted the suggestion that when the invasion transpires, a number of "secret weapons" will be sprung into the face of the oncoming troops while both in the air and on the ground the Wehrmacht (inclusive the Luftwaffe) will bring into play surprising new reserves capable of tipping the scales in favor of Hitler at the most critical moment.

On this side, I have seen no evidence that the German scare and confusion tactics have successfully hampered the preparatory job or infected adversely the minds of either troops or public. On the contrary, every new hint that "D" day is just a little closer has been greeted with open satisfaction over here, where Luftwaffe raids on London failed to score beyond the damage and casualties inflicted on persons and property.

As in the case of the formerly very effective Hitler nerve war, the soldiers and civilians on this invasion springboard have taken both the Nazi grimacing and renewed Luftwaffe raids in stride as part of the anticipated cost of victory over Hitler in 1944.

ENLISTS IN WACS

CORNWELLS MANOR, Mar. 14—Mrs. Lester Kennedy, of Philadelphia, formerly of Cornwells Manor, left today for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., where she will train with the Women's Army Corps. Mrs. Kennedy is the daughter-in-law of Mrs. Albert Weider.

Workers Should Be Free To Make Own Decisions

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to every working man is that he must choose the kind of government under which his energies, along with those of private enterprise, will give him and his family the comforts and advantages and liberties guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States," Mr. Owlett declared.

The Manufacturers' Association president then turned his heavy guns on Washington bureaucracy as the avowed enemy of private enterprise and individual initiative. He said:

"We know that the political dynasty in control of Federal government is fanatically opposed to private enterprise. We know that the arbitrary bureaucracy entrenched in the pillboxes and foxholes of Washington seeks to destroy free enterprise and the American form of two party government, substituting instead the fatal doctrines of state socialism and national dictatorship.

"The thought of all industry, trade and commerce must be concentrated on this problem now before it is forever too late. To what purpose are we fighting all over the world to preserve democracy if at home we do not take an intelligent interest in the election of men and women who will have a big share in making our democracy and our government function—now and in the future?"

Mr. Owlett said that private enterprise, notwithstanding 12 years of political terrorism and regimentation by the New Deal, "is furnishing the instruments of war now being used with telling effect by the men of our armed forces and our fighting allies."

"It should be clear to every man with a stake in the future of this country that once the stupendous pressures of war have been alleviated by victory, all industry will be face to face with the same discriminatory tactics and oppressive conditions which, before Pearl Harbor, proved to be so deeply ingrained in the New Deal's warped philosophy of government. Our election laws provide us with the machinery to nullify this grave threat to our economic and political systems. The time is here to use that machinery. We must write a new emancipation proclamation and end the rash of political abuses which have become synonyms of New Dealism.

"A CONTINUATION OF NEW DEAL RULE WILL TURN OUR NATIONAL ECONOMY INTO A DEAD END STREET!"

Mr. Owlett drew a sharp parallel between Washington bureaucracy and the Fascist-totalitarian systems of Italy and Germany under Hitler and Mussolini.

"The governments of Hitler and Mussolini used the device of state-created purchasing power through government debt as the means of attaining broad and unlimited authority. These governments functioned under an immense bureaucracy. They furthered the plans of totalitarianism by exorbitant spending for war. The people were led to believe that government spending was a cure for all economic ailments. They were taught not to be concerned with public debt because they owed it to themselves. The people of these countries awakened to find themselves living under imperialistic dictators who considered it a divine right to pilfer the pockets of the masses and spend their loot to entrench themselves in power. The parallel between these governments and Washington bureaucracy is a deadly, unmistakable one.

"We know, from the debacle of New Deal rule, that government spending can never be a cure for unemployment. Jobs must come from private enterprise or not at all. We knew, even before Pearl Harbor, that the New Deal had commandeered dangerous unilateral powers contradictory to our two party system of government. We knew that the New Deal had failed miserably to solve the domestic problems of peace and that 10,000,000 Americans still were without real jobs. Business men know that political pump priming and 'spending our way to prosperity' are not the road to economic security. Billions of dollars of the taxpayers' money were once wasted on costly and futile experiments. We should have learned the lesson by now.

"America today faces a supreme domestic crisis. It is a war between the forces of bureaucratic monopoly and the forces of Constitutional government. It is war between noisy apostles of the Fourth Term and alert Americans who wish to keep this country free from dictatorship and the clutching hand of power politics. It can be fought and won without endangering or applying the brakes to our giant military and naval operations. There no longer can be any doubt that a Fourth Term would be an invitation to national suicide.

"When our boys come back from the battlefields of the world, they will be through with the regimentation that was necessary to win the war. They will not want visionary plans and schemes that dissipate our resources through vaporous, politically-inspiring spending. They will want a liberated free enterprise system, free from monopoly of any kind, free from the palsied hand of governmental interference, to make the wealth of farm, factory, forest and mine available to the people of America in the form of jobs.

"They will want a quick return to our Constitutional Bill of Rights. They will join all America in wanting a reaffirmation and implementation of the fundamental rights and privileges that have been far too long ignored or flouted.

"The New Deal's silence on a multitude of domestic subjects close to the public heart shows an amazing boldness and indifference which should dispel any illusions that we have a government 'of, for and by the people.' It should dispel any illusions that a Fourth Term will be an improvement over the First, Second and Third terms!

"It should not surprise thoughtful Americans to find that foremost among the attacks accumulating against so many of the institutions which have made America great is a steadily intensifying attack upon our enterprise system by spokesmen on whom the New Deal holds a political mortgage. Theirs are the great crusading flights of irrational thinking that can end only in chaos."

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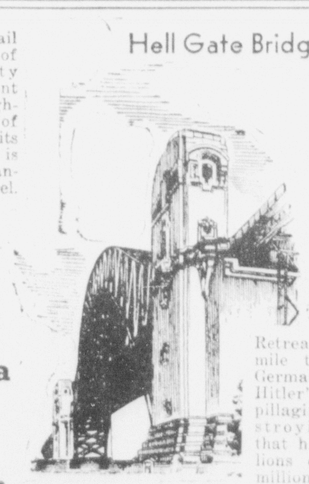

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